

TWELFTH DAY

(Friday, September 29, 1933)

The House met at 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Speaker Stevenson.

The roll was called, and the following Members were present:

Mr. Speaker.	Hodges.
Adamson.	Holekamp.
Aikin.	Holland.
Alexander.	Holloway.
Alsup.	Hoskins.
Anderson.	Huddleston.
Baker.	Hughes.
Barrett.	Hunt.
Barron.	Hyder.
Beck.	Jackson.
Bedford.	James.
Bourne.	Jefferson.
Bradley.	Johnson
Burns.	of Anderson.
Butler.	Jones of Atascosa.
Calvert.	Jones of Runnels.
Camp.	Jones of Shelby.
Canon.	Kyle of Hays.
Cathey.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Caven.	Laird.
Celaya.	Latham.
Chastain.	Lemens.
Clayton.	Leonard.
Colson.	Lindsey.
Coombes.	Long.
Cowley.	Mackay.
Crossley.	Magee.
Daniel.	Mathis.
Davidson.	McClain.
Dean.	McCullough.
Devall.	McGregor.
Dunlap.	McKee.
Dunagan.	Merritt.
Duvall.	Metcalfe.
Dwyer.	Mitcham.
Engelhard.	Moffett.
Fain.	Moore.
Fisher.	Morrison.
Ford.	Morse.
Fuchs.	Munson.
Glass.	Nicholson.
Golson.	Palmer.
Good.	Parkhouse.
Goodman.	Patterson.
Graves.	Pavlica.
Greathouse.	Pope.
Griffith.	Puryear.
Hankamer.	Ratliff.
Harman.	Ray.
Harris.	Reader.
Harrison.	Reed of Bowie.
Hartzog.	Reed of Dallas.
Head.	Renfro.
Hester.	Riddle.
Hicks.	Roberts.
Hill of Brazoria.	Rogers of Hunt.
Hill of Webb.	Rogers of Ochiltree.

Rollins.	Tennyson.
Ross.	Thomas.
Russell.	Tillery.
Savage.	Townsend.
Scarborough.	Turlington.
Scott.	Van Zandt.
Shannon.	Vaughan.
Shults.	Wagstaff.
Smith.	Walker.
Stanfield.	Weinert.
Stinson.	Wells.
Stovall.	Winningham.
Stubbeman.	Wood.
Sullivan.	Young.
Tarwater.	

Absent

Ramsey.

Absent—Excused

Few.	Lotief.
Johnson	McDougald.
of Dimmit.	Steward.
Kayton.	

A quorum was announced present.
Prayer was offered by Rev. Geo. W. Coltrin, Chaplain.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following Members were granted leaves of absence on account of important business:

Mr. McDougald for today, on motion of Mr. Parkhouse.

Mr. Lotief for today, on motion of Mr. Fuchs.

Mr. Steward for today, on motion of Mr. Ross.

Mr. Few was granted leave of absence for today on account of illness, on motion of Mr. Stovall.

RESOLUTION SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving notice thereof, and its caption had been read, the following enrolled resolution:

H. C. R. No. 3, Relative to fixing a fair price on cotton.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

The Speaker laid before the House, and had read, the following message from the Governor:

Executive Office,

Austin, Texas, September 29, 1933.

To the Forty-third Legislature in First Called Session:

There has come to my notice a matter of such grave importance that I

deem it my duty to bring the same to your notice.

There remains in the relief fund for destitution from the August allotment, during which month a total of \$1,536,000 was actually expended for relief, an unobligated cash balance of \$882,031.85. There are on the relief rolls 180,000 families, or approximately 900,000 people. Twenty-eight thousand new families were added during the month of August, and the list is growing every day, and will continue to grow from now on through the winter. By the fifteenth of October, there will be approximately one million people needing and asking for relief. By the first of October the unobligated cash balance to the credit of the relief fund will not exceed \$500,000. By the middle of October, our funds will be completely exhausted. Please bear in mind the date—October 15. With the Federal Government refusing to advance any further sums for Texas relief until action is taken by your Body, we will then face a very desperate crisis until relief from some source is provided. This condition is right on us and is the main reason why I am calling this matter to your attention. Even if the Legislature should pass a bond relief bill by an emergency vote before the expiration of this thirty-day term, it would take thirty days to prepare the issue and sale of the bonds, and in the meantime we will face the horror of a million hungry people in Texas. If the Legislature should pass a bond relief bill but fail to furnish the two-thirds majority necessary to put the law into immediate effect, it would not, of course, go into effect until about the middle of January, and in the meantime, our relief rolls will grow to more than a million and a half, and our situation would be the most desperate and grave of our day and generation. Of course, you have the power to decide what shall be done, but I deem it my duty to inform you that if the policy of Texas in relief matters is not set forth in a specific bill within the next week, I am fearful of results.

I call your attention to the fact that I have heretofore sent you a bill complete within its provisions for the issuance of these relief bonds. If this bill is passed substantially in its present form, then I am willing to assume the responsibility for meeting our condition. If the bill is not

passed and valuable time is used in the discussion of other plans and bills, then the responsibility is yours. Only the seriousness and the gravity of the situation impels me to make these observations for your information, and I trust they will be received in the spirit in which they are advanced.

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas,

BILLS RE-COMMITTED

On motion of Mr. Nicholson, House Bills Nos. 72 and 74 were re-committed to the Committee on Conservation and Reclamation.

BILL ORDERED NOT PRINTED

On motion of Mr. Dean, House Bill No. 39 was ordered not printed.

TO GRANT J. B. WARD PERMISSION TO SUE THE STATE

Mr. Burns offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 19, To grant J. B. Ward permission to sue the State.

Whereas, J. B. Ward, a citizen of the State of Texas and of Walker County, Texas, was the father of James Henry Ward, who was employed by the Texas Prison System as dog sergeant on camp No. 2 of the Imperial State Prison Farm, now known as the Central State Prison Farm, and the said James Henry Ward was employed at the unit of the Texas Prison System in the year 1928; and

Whereas, James Henry Ward, as dog sergeant on the Imperial State Prison Farm, now known as the Central State Prison Farm, on the twenty-seventh day of July, 1928, for the State Prison System, offered and did try to stop a prison break which was headed by a convict by the name of Raymond Hall, and a convict by the name of Ace High Carter; and

Whereas, Said convicts, in leading said prison break in attempting to escape from the State Prison Farm, secured guns and ammunition, and while the said James Henry Ward attempted to stop said prison break, the said Raymond Hall and Ace High Carter shot and killed the said James Henry Ward; and

Whereas, The said James Henry Ward left a child, R. H. Ward, seven

years of age, who has never been compensated by the State, but should be given his day in court, according to the rules of procedure in similar cases between private citizens; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the said J. B. Ward, as a next friend of R. H. Ward, a minor and son of James Henry Ward, deceased, be, and he is hereby, granted permission to bring suit in a court of competent jurisdiction in Walker County, Texas, in order to determine what compensation, if any, he is entitled to receive by reason of the death of his father, James Henry Ward, and that in case suit is filed, it shall be tried according to the rules of procedure in similar cases between private citizen, service of citation, or other necessary process may be had upon the Chairman of the Texas Prison Board and the Attorney General of the State of Texas with the same force and effect as made and provided for in several cases.

The resolution was read second time, and, on motion of Mr. Alsup, was referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The Speaker laid before the House, and had read, the following messages from the Governor:

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 29, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First Called Session:

By request of a majority of the House, I herewith submit for your consideration a bill hereto attached, to be entitled "An Act to define, license, and regulate loan brokers and the business of loan brokers in the amounts of \$500, or less, secured or unsecured; providing for a license fee, and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas.

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 29, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First Called Session:

By request of Senator Pace, I herewith submit for your consideration a bill hereto attached, to be entitled "An Act to amend Senate Bill No.

438, page 93-98, Chapter 74, Special Laws of Texas of the Forty-third Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas.

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 29, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First Called Session:

By request of Representative Smith, I herewith submit for your consideration a bill to be entitled "An Act prohibiting the use of a seine or net for taking fish from any of the waters of Bastrop County, Texas, excepting a minnow seine for the purpose of taking bait, and providing an emergency."

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas.

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First Called Session:

By request of a majority of the House, I submit for your consideration a bill hereto attached, to be entitled "An Act to amend House Bill No. 555, Chapter 215, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-third Legislature, regulating the salaries of county commissioners, and providing from what funds said salaries shall be paid, and making certain exceptions."

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas.

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First Called Session:

By request of Senator Woodruff, I herewith submit for your consideration a bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 1, of Chapter 12, of the Forty-second Legislature, defining the offense of kidnapping for extortion, ransom, or robbery, so as to provide for capital punishment for such offenses, and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas.

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First
Called Session:

By request of Representative Harman, I herewith submit for your consideration six questions:

1. An additional appropriation to the Commissioner of Insurance sufficient to take care of his agents who have to go to other States to audit insurance companies' books. The present expense account allowed is alleged to be insufficient.

2. The question of allowing the Labor Commissioner two women and three men as inspectors in his Department.

3. The question of allowing the State Service Officer a stenographer. The work of this Department has increased to where at least one additional stenographer is necessary.

4. The question of the employment of a woman to inspect and look after the rest rooms for the ladies in the Capitol Building.

5. The question of additional appropriation for the Live Stock Sanitary Commission to complete work already begun on tick eradication which will suffer if not completed now.

6. The increase of lawlessness and crime makes an appropriation sufficient to employ at least six additional Rangers almost imperative.

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas.

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First
Called Session:

By request of the Land Commissioner, I herewith submit for your consideration a bill hereto attached, to be entitled "An Act for making appropriation for the support and maintenance of the General Land Office, and particularly making appropriation for a special audit to be made by, or under, the direction of the Commissioner of the General Land Office of all books and accounts of oil companies relative to the bonus and rentals due on public school lands, and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas.

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First
Called Session:

By request of Representative Walker and Representative Tennyson, I submit for your consideration a bill hereto attached, to be entitled "An Act to amend Subdivision 5, of Article 7206, of the 1925 Revised Civil Statutes, so that the county board of equalization shall also require that the amount to which that property is raised for taxation purposes shall also be stated in the notice now required to be given such person who rendered said property, and requiring said notice to be given ten days in advance of meeting to be held by said board."

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas.

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First
Called Session:

By request of Representative Jones, and Representative Riddle, and a majority of the House, I herewith submit for your consideration a bill hereto attached, to be entitled "An Act to amend Subdivision 9, Article 2135, Chapter 7, Title 42, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925."

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First
Called Session:

By request of Representatives Tennyson and Harris, I submit for your consideration a bill to be entitled "An Act to safeguard the consumers of natural gas, whether used on a domestic, industrial, or commercial basis, against excess charges, and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas.

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First
Called Session:

By request of Representative Tennyson and Representative Harris, I herewith submit for your consideration a bill hereto attached, to be entitled "An Act defining common car-

rier pipe lines engaged in, or to engage in, the transportation of natural gas."

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas.

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First
Called Session:

By request of a majority of the House, I herewith submit for your consideration a bill hereto attached, to be entitled "An Act to aid the City of Palacios and the village of Collegeport, both situated in commissioners precinct No. 3, of Matagorda County, Texas, in constructing and maintaining sea walls, breakwaters, and shore protection."

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas.

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First
Called Session:

By request of Senator Holbrook, I herewith submit for your consideration a bill hereto attached, to be entitled "An Act prohibiting inquiry concerning the religion or religious affiliations of persons seeking employment or official position in the public schools; providing a penalty, and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas.

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First
Called Session:

By request of the majority of the House, I hereby submit for your consideration a bill hereto attached, to be entitled "An Act granting the Commissioners Court of Childress County power to use all or part of the interest collected on notes held by Childress County against Childress County school land in Bailey and Cochran Counties, Texas, and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas.

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First
Called Session:

By request of Representative Moore, I herewith submit for your consideration a bill hereto attached, to be entitled "An Act defining 'daily newspapers' or 'newspaper,' 'consecutive days' or 'successive days,' and words of similar meaning."

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas.

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First
Called Session:

By request of many Members of the House of Representatives, I herewith submit for your consideration a bill hereto attached, to be entitled "An Act to amend the Acts of the 1931, Forty-second Legislature, Regular Session, page 111, Chapter 73, by providing for the payment of occupation tax by producers of natural gas for light and fuel."

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas.

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First
Called Session:

By request of the Secretary of State, I herewith submit for your consideration a bill hereto attached, to be entitled "An Act appropriating \$25,000 out of any funds of the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated, to be used to pay additional expense of publication of eight proposed amendments to the Constitution of Texas and for the subsequent holding of a general election," completely set forth in the caption to said bill.

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas.

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First
Called Session:

By request of Representative Bedford, I hereby submit for your consideration a bill hereto attached, to be entitled "An Act amending Article

612, of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, 1925, by omitting therefrom language quoted, and making it lawful for moving pictures to give or present to the public an exhibition of prize fights or glove contest, and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas.

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First
Called Session:

By request of Representative Bedford, I enclose you a House concurrent resolution, hereto attached, permitting H. J. Hetkes Company or its assigns to sue the State.

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas.

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First
Called Session:

By request of a majority of the House, I herewith submit for your consideration a bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for an investigation and study of wages of women and minors employed in trade and industry in the State of Texas."

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas.

Executive Office,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
To the Forty-third Legislature in First
Called Session:

By request, I herewith submit for your consideration a bill to be entitled "An Act defining the term 'plumber' or 'plumbing,' in connection with Article 1077-1081, in 1925 Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully submitted,
MIRIAM A. FERGUSON,
Governor of Texas.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Austin, Texas, September 29, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate

has concurred in House amendment to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 by a viva voce vote.

Respectively,
BOB BARKER,
Secretary of the Senate.

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following House bills introduced today, were laid before the House, read severally first time, and referred to the appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Stevenson and Mr. Holkamp:

H. B. No. 80, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to the conservation and development of lands in the State of Texas, pursuant to Section 59, of Article XVI of the State Constitution, declaring and providing that the growth of cedar upon lands is injurious to the value of such lands and the use thereof, and benefits to be derived therefrom and is, and constitutes, a public nuisance, and that the eradication of such growths of cedar constitutes a public benefit and use; providing for the creation of districts known as 'cedar eradication districts,' having power and authority to destroy and eradicate all growths of cedar within such districts; prescribing how such districts may be created; defining their rights, powers, and privileges, and the manner of their exercise; constituting such districts, when created, governmental agencies and bodies politic and corporate, and providing their rights and liabilities as such; authorizing such districts to purchase or rent such lands within or without their boundaries as may be needed for office, warehouse, or other purposes; providing for the assessment, levy, and collection of taxes; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Live Stock and Stock Raising.

By Mr. Hartzog (by request):

H. B. No. 81, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing a privilege license for any person before engaging in the business of a commercial fisherman, wholesale fish dealer, retail fish dealer, bait dealer, fish guide; or before operating a shrimp trawl, net, or seine, or oyster dredge for taking any aquatic life from the waters of this

State for pay; naming the licenses and the fees to be paid for same; limiting the length of a seine which may be licensed and the size of the mesh of seine which may be licensed after September 1, A. D. 1934; providing aquatic products are subject to inspection by any employe of Game, Fish, and Oyster Commission; providing a rebate for holders of licenses and permits heretofore issued by the Game, Fish, and Oyster Commission; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Clayton, Mr. Hankamer, and Mr. Jackson:

H. B. No. 82, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 1112, of the Texas Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, so as to permit any city or town operating under Title 28, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, to pledge or encumber the revenue from their light systems, water systems, sewer systems, natural gas systems, parks, and swimming pools, or any one of them, without the necessity of an election, for the purpose of securing the United States Government or any of its agencies in the repayment of any loan made for the purpose of building, improving, enlarging, extending, or repairing such systems or any one of them, and providing that the provisions of House Bill 312, Acts, 1931, Forty-second Legislature, Chapter 163, with reference to notice, competitive bids, and the right to referendum shall not apply to cities and towns acting under the authority conferred by Article 1111 to 1118, inclusive, until after July 1, 1934, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Municipal and Private Corporations.

By Mr. Head:

H. B. No. 83, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a closed season upon wild deer, buck, doe, fawn, wild turkey, or pheasant for a period of five (5) years in the County of Erath, State of Texas, making it unlawful for any person to hunt, trap, ensnare, kill or attempt to kill, by any means whatsoever, any wild deer, buck, doe, fawn, wild turkey, or pheasant for a period of five (5) years; providing a penalty therefor, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Hankamer, Mr. Clayton, and Mr. Jackson:

H. B. No. 84, A bill to be entitled "An Act empowering counties through their commissioners court to borrow money or receive grants of money from the Federal Emergency Administrator of Public Works or other Federal agency under the terms and provisions of the Act of the Congress of the United States commonly known as the National Industrial Recovery Act; providing that said money may be borrowed only for purposes for which counties may create a valid indebtedness and levy a tax to pay for said indebtedness; providing means for the securing by said counties of the repayment of such money borrowed; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Counties.

By Mr. Ratliff and Mr. Alexander:

H. B. No. 85, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing any county, political subdivision, or defined district thereof to hold an election for the purpose of determining whether it will repurchase any road bonds sold and outstanding at the time of the passage of this Act, out of unexpended and unpledged funds received from the original sale of said bonds, and providing that such election shall be ordered and held in the same form and manner provided for in voting such road bonds; providing for the cancellation and destruction of such road bonds upon repurchase by reason of such election; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Counties.

By Mr. Reed of Dallas et al.:

H. B. No. 86, A bill to be entitled "An Act to define, license, and regulate loan brokers, and the business of loan brokers in amounts of \$500 or less, secured or unsecured; providing for a license fee; providing that application for license shall be in writing under oath; providing for the appointment of an agent to accept service in certain suits; providing for service upon the county judge in certain suits, whether such loan brokers are licensed or not licensed; providing for the filing of a bond by loan brokers for the use of any and all persons who may have cause of action under this Act; declaring usurious contracts within the scope of this

Act to be unlawful and against public policy and void as to interest only; providing additional penalty for usury collected or paid; providing for an attorney's fee in actions for recovery of damages or usury under this Act; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Smith:

H. B. No. 87, A bill to be entitled "An Act prohibiting the use of a seine or net for taking fish from any of the waters of Bastrop County, excepting a minnow seine for the purpose of taking bait; providing a penalty, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Holloway et al.:

H. B. No. 88, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend House Bill No. 555, Chapter 216, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-third Legislature, relating to salaries of county commissioners, and providing from what funds said salaries shall be paid, and making certain exceptions; providing the effective date of this Act shall be January 1, 1934; repealing all laws, both general or special, and parts of laws, both general or special, in conflict herewith, and making certain exceptions; and defining term 'assessed valuation.'"

Referred to Committee on Counties.

By Mr. Walker, Mr. Long, and Mr. Tennyson:

H. B. No. 89, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Subdivision 5, of Article 7206, of the 1925 Revised Civil Statutes, so that the county board of equalization shall also require that the amount to which said person's property is raised for taxation purposes shall be also stated in the notice now required to be given to such person who rendered said property, and requiring that such notice be given at least ten days in advance of the meeting of said board, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Counties.

By Mr. Jones of Shelby et al.:

H. B. No. 90, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Subdivision 9, Article 2135, Chapter 7, Title 42, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, as amended by

Acts, 1931, Forty-second Legislature, page 375, Chapter 221, Section 2, so as to provide that in cities and towns having a population of one thousand (1,000) or more inhabitants, according to the last preceding United States Census, the active members of organized fire companies, etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Tennyson, Mr. Harris, Mr. Long, and Mr. Walker:

H. B. No. 91, A bill to be entitled "An Act to safeguard the consumers of natural gas whether used on a domestic, commercial, or industrial basis, against excess charges, by prohibiting the ready-to-serve charge and/or fixed service charge by the gas companies, corporations, or individuals serving natural gas on a domestic, commercial, or industrial basis; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Municipal and Private Corporations.

By Mr. Hill of Brazoria et al.:

H. B. No. 92, A bill to be entitled "An Act to aid the City of Palacios and the village of Collegeport, both situated in commissioners precinct No. 3, of Matagorda County, Texas, in constructing and maintaining sea walls, breakwaters, and shore protection, in order to protect said city and village from calamitous overflows by donating to them eight-ninths (8/9) of the ad valorem taxes collected on all property; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Alexander et al.:

H. B. No. 93, A bill to be entitled "An Act granting the Commissioners Court of Childress County, Texas, power to use all or any part of the interest collected on notes held by the said Childress County against Childress County school land in Bailey and Cochran Counties, Texas; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Counties.

By Mr. Moore, Mr. Bradley, Mr. Holland, Mr. Mathis, and Mr. Morse:

H. B. No. 94, A bill to be entitled "An Act defining 'daily newspapers' or 'newspaper,' 'consecutive days' or

'successive days,' and words of similar meaning, within the meaning of any law, city charter, or ordinance, or any Act of the Legislature creating any independent school district or any other municipal corporation; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Tennyson, Mr. Harris, Mr. Long, and Mr. Walker:

H. B. No. 95, A bill to be entitled "An Act defining common carrier pipe lines engaged, or to engage, in the transportation of natural gas; declaring all corporations, persons, partnerships, or associations of persons, now engaged, or to hereafter engage, in transporting natural gas from place to place in this State to be common carriers; declaring such common carriers to be public utilities, and making them subject to the provisions of this Act; giving the Railroad Commission of Texas the power to regulate the rate of such transportation by such common carriers; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Municipal and Private Corporations.

By Mr. Lotief et al.:

H. B. No. 96, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend the Acts of the 1931 Forty-second Legislature, Regular Session, page 111, Chapter 73, by providing for the payment of occupation tax by producers of natural gas for light and fuel; and providing who shall be subject to the provisions hereof; providing for forms and records to be kept by producers and marketers of natural gas, the manner and method of keeping such records or produce same upon demand; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Bedford et al.:

H. B. No. 97, A bill to be entitled 'An Act amending Article 612, of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, 1925, by omitting therefrom the following language: 'an exhibition of prize fights or glove contests,' or of 'making it lawful for moving pictures to give or present to the public an exhibition of prize fights or glove contests,' and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on State Affairs.

By Mr. Griffith et al.:

H. B. No. 98, A bill to be entitled 'An Act to provide for the investigation and study of wages of women and minors employed in trade and industry in the State of Texas; and for the determination and establishment of minimum fair wage standards for such workers; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Labor.

By Mr. Griffith:

H. B. No. 99, A bill to be entitled "An Act defining the term 'plumber' or 'plumbing,' in connection with Articles 1077-1081, of the 1925 Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, inclusive, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Labor.

By Mr. Graves, Mrs. Hughes, and Mr. Calvert:

H. B. No. 100, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriation for the support and maintenance of the General Land Office, and particularly making an appropriation for a special audit to be made by or under the direction of the Commissioner of the General Land Office of all books and accounts of oil companies relative to the bonus and rentals due on sold public school lands, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Public Lands and Buildings.

By Mr. Dunagan:

H. B. No. 101, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Senate Bill No. 488, Chapter 74, pages 95 to 98, inclusive of the Special Laws of Texas, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-third Legislature of the State of Texas, approved May 16, 1933; which Act was amendatory of Senate Bill No. 54, Chapter 17, pages 262 to 265, inclusive; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Counties.

By Mr. Jones of Runnels:

H. B. No. 102, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for payment of the salary of the ex-officio superintendent of public instruction in all counties having not less than seven thousand six hundred and forty-five (7,645) and not more than seven thousand six hundred and ninety

(7,690) population, according to the last preceding Federal Census, from the county available school fund; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Jones of Atascosa:

H. B. No. 103, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the pledging of local school funds from district taxes and other local sources to be used to pay the interest and sinking fund on a loan or loans from the Federal Government for certain purposes; authorizing the pledging of annual tax receipts by the board of trustees; authorizing the making of contracts with lenders upon certain terms; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Shults:

H. B. No. 104, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 1, of Chapter 12, Acts of the Forty-second Legislature, defining the offense of kidnapping for extortion, ransom, or robbery, so as to provide for capital punishment regardless of whether the person kidnapped, detained, or enticed away is returned by the defendant without serious bodily injury, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Mr. Harman:

H. B. No. 105, A bill to be entitled "An Act appropriating \$25,000 out of any funds of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated, to be used to pay additional expense of publication of eight proposed amendments to the Constitution of Texas and for the subsequent holding of a general election at which said amendments are to be voted upon, said amount being herein appropriated to be used as payment of any difference in the amount of the costs of the publication of said amendments and holding of said election over and above the amounts of money already appropriated for said purpose, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Tarwater:

H. B. No. 106, A bill to be entitled "An Act ratifying and confirming a compact entered into by and between representatives of the State of Texas and the State of New Mexico, authorized by Act of the Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature, and approved by the Governor on May 27, 1931, as shown in Chapter 251, Acts of the Forty-second Legislature."

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. Jones of Atascosa et al.:

H. B. No. 107, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the pledging of local school funds from district taxes and other local sources to be used to pay the interest and sinking fund on a loan or loans from the Federal Government or other sources for certain purposes; authorizing the pledging of annual tax receipts by the board of trustees; authorizing the making of contracts with lenders upon certain terms; providing for a sinking fund for the loans so made; requiring a certain amount to be placed in the sinking fund and a greater amount where necessary; authorizing boards of trustees to execute quitclaim deeds to school sites to certain persons; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mrs. Hughes, Mr. Reed of Dallas, Mr. Parkhouse, Mr. Stinson, and Mr. Coombes:

H. B. No. 108, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide that where a majority of the resident taxpayers being qualified electors of any city or town in this State having a population in excess of ten thousand (10,000) inhabitants, having voted at an election held in such city or town in favor of the expending of public funds in such city or town in carrying out the provisions of Chapter 10, General Laws of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, Regular Session; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Municipal and Private Corporations.

By Mr. Reader and Mr. Young:

H. B. No. 109, A bill to be entitled "An Act appropriating the sum of

three hundred thirty-two dollars and eighty-seven cents (\$332.87) due the State Board of Health for meeting on March 13, 1933, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

APPOINTMENT ON STANDING COMMITTEE

Mr. Tennyson was named as a member of the Committee on Municipal and Private Corporations, instead of Mr. R. B. Anderson, resigned.

HOUSE BILL NO. 12 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, as a special order for this hour, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 12, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending and re-enacting Subsections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10, of Chapter 166, of the Acts of the Forty-third Legislature, being House Bill No. 167, pages 428-433, of the Session Acts of the Forty-third Legislature; appropriating from State funds \$1,260 to defray operating expenses of the Racing Commission for the period ending December 31, 1933; providing that the appropriations made by the Forty-third Legislature for the Department of Agriculture shall not be drawn upon unless the funds in the 'Special Racing Fund' shall be insufficient or unavailable; creating a Racing Commission of three members, to consist of the Commissioner of Agriculture, State Tax Commissioner, and a chairman to be appointed by the Governor; authorizing the Commission to appoint a secretary and other officers and employees; fixing the compensation of the Commissioners and certain employees, and defining the powers and duties of the Commissioners; etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Ray and Mr. Shults offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, page 6, line 31, by striking out the comma after the word "day."

RAY,
SHULTS.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Ray and Mr. Shults offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, page 3, line 22, by changing the word and number "six" to the word and number "four."

RAY,
SHULTS.

Mr. Vaughan offered the following substitute for the amendment by Mr. Ray and Mr. Shults:

Amend House Bill No. 12, page 3, by striking out lines 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27, and the word "Act," in 28, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Members of the Commission shall be entitled to receive their actual expenses when on the business of the Commission, and the Chairman shall receive compensation at the rate of \$10 per day while actually engaged in the business of the Commission, such compensation, in the aggregate, not to exceed \$1,200, in any one twelve months' period.

VAUGHAN,
FAIN,
REED of Bowie.

Question first recurring on the substitute amendment, yeas and nays were demanded.

The substitute amendment was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—61

Adamson.	Latham.
Aikin.	Lemens.
Alsup.	Lindsey.
Bourne.	Magee.
Bradley.	McCullough.
Burns.	Merritt.
Camp.	Metcalfe.
Canon.	Mitcham.
Cathey.	Parkhouse.
Chastain.	Puryear.
Coombes.	Ratliff.
Crossley.	Reed of Bowie.
Dean.	Reed of Dallas.
Dwyer.	Riddle.
Fain.	Rogers of Hunt.
Fisher.	Rollins.
Fuchs.	Ross.
Glass.	Scott.
Goodman.	Shults.
Graves.	Stovall.
Harman.	Sullivant.
Harris.	Tennyson.
Head.	Thomas.
Hester.	Tillery.
Hicks.	Townsend.
Holloway.	Turlington.
Huddleston.	Vaughan.
Hughes.	Walker.
Hunt.	Winningham.
Jones of Runnels.	Wood.
Kyle of Hays.	

Nays—58

Alexander.	Long.
Anderson.	Mackay.
Baker.	Mathis.
Barrett.	McClain.
Beck.	McGregor.
Bedford.	Moore.
Calvert.	Morse.
Caven.	Munson.
Clayton.	Nicholson.
Davidson.	Patterson.
Dunlap.	Pavlica.
Dunagan.	Ray.
Duvall.	Reader.
Engelhard.	Renfro.
Ford.	Roberts.
Golson.	Rogers
Good.	of Ochiltree.
Greathouse.	Russell.
Griffith.	Savage.
Hankamer.	Scarborough.
Harrison.	Smith.
Hartzog.	Stanfield.
Hill of Webb.	Stinson.
Hodges.	Stubbeman.
Holland.	Tarwater.
Hoskins.	Van Zandt.
Hyder.	Wagstaff.
Jackson.	Weinert.
James.	Young.
Kyle of Palo Pinto.	

Present—Not Voting

Shannon.

Absent

Barron.	Jones of Atascosa.
Butler.	Jones of Shelby.
Celaya.	Laird.
Colson.	Leonard.
Cowley.	McKee.
Daniel.	Moffett.
Devall.	Morrison.
Hill of Brazoria.	Palmer.
Holekamp.	Pope.
Jefferson.	Ramsey.
Johnson	Wells.
of Anderson.	

Absent—Excused

Few.	Lotief.
Johnson	McDougald.
of Dimmit.	Steward.
Kayton.	

Mr. Rogers of Ochiltree offered the following substitute for the amendment as substituted:

Substitute for amendment to House Bill No. 12 by changing the figures "\$6,000" to "\$3,600," in line 22, page 3.

Question—Shall the substitute amendment by Mr. Rogers of Ochiltree be adopted?

RECESS

Mr. Wells moved that the House recess to 2 o'clock p. m., today.

Mr. Stinson moved that the House recess to 1:30 o'clock p. m., today.

Mr. Parkhouse moved that the House adjourn until 10 o'clock a. m., next Monday.

Mr. Greathouse moved that the House recess to 10 o'clock a. m., next Monday.

Mr. Coombes moved that the House adjourn until 9:30 o'clock a. m., next Monday.

The motion of Mr. Wells prevailed, and the House, accordingly, at 12:15 o'clock p. m., took recess to 2 o'clock p. m., today.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House met at 2 o'clock p. m., and was called to order by the Speaker.

HOUSE BILL NO. 12 ON PASSAGE TO ENGROSSMENT

The House resumed consideration of pending business, same being House Bill No. 12, relative to appropriating certain sum of money to defray operating expenses of the Racing Commission of the State of Texas; the bill having heretofore been read second time, with amendment by Mr. Ray, as substituted by an amendment by Mr. Vaughan, with substitute by Mr. Rogers of Ochiltree for the amendment as substituted, pending.

Question recurring on the substitute amendment by Mr. Rogers of Ochiltree, yeas and nays were demanded.

The substitute amendment was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—60

Alexander.	Engelhard.
Anderson.	Fisher.
Baker.	Ford.
Barron.	Golson.
Bedford.	Good.
Butler.	Greathouse.
Calvert.	Hankamer.
Celaya.	Harris.
Chastain.	Hartzog.
Clayton.	Hill of Webb.
Cowley.	Holland.
Devall.	Hyder.
Dunlap.	Jackson.
Dunagan.	James.
Duvall.	Jones of Shelby.
Dwyer.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.

Long.	Rogers of Ochiltree.
Mackay.	Russell.
Mathis.	Scarborough.
McClain.	Shannon.
McCullough.	Smith.
McGregor.	Stanfield.
McKee.	Tarwater.
Morrison.	Van Zandt.
Munson.	Wagstaff.
Nicholson.	Walker.
Parkhouse.	Weinert.
Patterson.	Wells.
Reader.	Wood.
Reed of Dallas.	Young.

Nays—53

Adamson.	Latham.
Aikin.	Lemens.
Alsup.	Leonard.
Barrett.	Lindsey.
Bourne.	Magee.
Burns.	Merritt.
Camp.	Metcalfe.
Canon.	Mitcham.
Crossley.	Palmer.
Dean.	Puryear.
Fain.	Ratliff.
Fuchs.	Ray.
Glass.	Reed of Bowie.
Goodman.	Roberts.
Graves.	Rogers of Hunt.
Harman.	Ross.
Head.	Scott.
Hester.	Shults.
Hicks.	Stinson.
Hodges.	Stovall.
Huddleston.	Sullivant.
Hughes.	Thomas.
Hunt.	Townsend.
Jones of Atascosa.	Turlington.
Jones of Runnels.	Vaughan.
Kyle of Hays.	Winningham.
Laird.	

Absent

Beck.	Johnson
Bradley.	of Anderson.
Cathey.	Moffett.
Caven.	Moore.
Colson.	Morse.
Coombes.	Pavlica.
Daniel.	Pope.
Davidson.	Ramsey.
Griffith.	Renfro.
Harrison.	Riddle.
Hill of Brazoria.	Rollins.
Holekamp.	Savage.
Holloway.	Stubbeman.
Hoskins.	Tennyson.
Jefferson.	Tillery.

Absent—Excused

Few.	Lotief.
Johnson	McDougald.
of Dimmit.	Steward.
Kayton.	

Mr. Alsup offered the following substitute for the amendment as substituted:

Substitute for amendment to House Bill No. 12, page 3, line 22, by striking out the words "six thousand," and inserting the words "three thousand."

The substitute amendment by Mr. Alsup was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—65

Adamson.	Leonard.
Aikin.	Lindsey.
Alexander.	Magee.
Alsup.	Merritt.
Barrett.	Metcalfe.
Bourne.	Mitcham.
Burns.	Morrison.
Camp.	Munson.
Canon.	Palmer.
Cathey.	Puryear.
Chastain.	Ratliff.
Dean.	Ray.
Fain.	Reed of Bowie.
Fisher.	Renfro.
Fuchs.	Rogers of Hunt.
Glass.	Ross.
Golson.	Scott.
Goodman.	Shults.
Graves.	Smith.
Harman.	Stinson.
Harris.	Stovall.
Head.	Tarwater.
Hester.	Tennyson.
Hicks.	Thomas.
Hodges.	Townsend.
Huddleston.	Turlington.
Hughes.	Vaughan.
Hunt.	Wagstaff.
Jones of Atascosa.	Walker.
Jones of Runnels.	Winningham.
Kyle of Hays.	Wood.
Latham.	Young.
Lemens.	

Nays—53

Baker.	Hankamer.
Barron.	Hill of Brazoria.
Bedford.	Hill of Webb.
Butler.	Holland.
Calvert.	Hoskins.
Caven.	Hyder.
Celaya.	Jackson.
Clayton.	James.
Cowley.	Jones of Shelby.
Crossley.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Devall.	Laird.
Dunlap.	Long.
Dunagan.	Mackay.
Duvall.	Mathis.
Dwyer.	McClain.
Engelhard.	McCullough.
Ford.	McGregor.
Good.	McKee.
Greathouse.	Nicholson.

Parkhouse.
Patterson.
Reader.
Reed of Dallas.
Roberts.
Rogers
of Ochiltree.
Russell.

Savage.
Scarborough.
Shannon.
Stanfield.
Sullivant.
Van Zandt.
Weinert.
Wells.

Absent

Anderson.	Johnson
Beck.	of Anderson.
Bradley.	Moffett.
Colson.	Moore.
Coombes.	Morse.
Daniel.	Pavlica.
Davidson	Pope.
Griffith.	Ramsey.
Harrison.	Riddle.
Hartzog.	Rollins.
Holekamp.	Stubbeman.
Holloway.	Tillery.
Jefferson.	

Absent—Excused

Few.	Lotief.
Johnson	McDougald.
of Dimmit.	Steward.
Kayton.	

The amendment as substituted was then adopted.

Mr. Lindsey offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, by striking out, on page 3, in lines 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, and 28, the following words: "And the other two Commissioners shall each draw a salary of twelve hundred dollars a year as Racing Commissioners, payable in equal monthly installments, and which shall be in addition to any other salary now drawn by the two such Commissioners, and shall be for the services rendered under this Act."

LINDSEY,
JONES of Runnels.

Mr. Calvert offered the following substitute for the amendment by Mr. Lindsey:

Substitute for amendment to House Bill No. 12, page 3, line 24, by striking out words "twelve hundred," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one hundred."

Mr. Burns moved to table the substitute amendment.

The motion to table prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—75

Adamson.	Jackson.
Aikin.	James.
Alsup.	Jones of Atascosa.
Barrett.	Jones of Runnels.
Barron.	Jones of Shelby.
Beck.	Kyle of Hays.
Bedford.	Laird.
Bourne.	Latham.
Bradley.	Lemens.
Burns.	Lindsey.
Camp.	Mackay.
Canon.	Magee.
Cathey.	McCullough.
Chastain.	Merritt.
Colson.	Metcalfe.
Coombes.	Mitcham.
Daniel.	Moffett.
Dean.	Morrison.
Devall.	Palmer.
Dunagan.	Puryear.
Engelhard.	Ratliff.
Fain.	Reed of Bowie.
Fisher.	Renfro.
Fuchs.	Rogers of Hunt.
Glass.	Rollins.
Golson.	Ross.
Goodman.	Russell.
Graves.	Scott.
Hankamer.	Shults.
Harman.	Stovall.
Hartzog.	Tarwater.
Hester.	Thomas.
Hicks.	Turlington.
Hodges.	Vaughan.
Hoskins.	Wagstaff.
Huddleston.	Winningham.
Hughes.	Wood.
Hunt.	

Nays—47

Alexander.	McClain.
Anderson.	McGregor.
Baker.	McKee.
Calvert.	Moore.
Caven.	Morse.
Celaya.	Munson.
Cowley.	Nicholson.
Crossley.	Patterson.
Duvall.	Ray.
Dwyer.	Reader.
Ford.	Reed of Dallas.
Good.	Roberts.
Greathouse.	Savage.
Griffith.	Scarborough.
Harris.	Shannon.
Head.	Smith.
Hill of Brazoria.	Stanfield.
Hill of Webb.	Stinson.
Holekamp.	Sullivant.
Holland.	Tennyson.
Hyder.	Van Zandt.
Kyle of Palo Pinto.	Wells.
Long.	Young.
Mathis.	

Absent

Butler.	Pavlica.
Clayton.	Pope.
Davidson.	Ramsey.
Dunlap.	Riddle.
Harrison.	Rogers
Holloway.	of Ochiltree.
Jefferson.	Stubbeman.
Johnson	Tillery.
of Anderson.	Townsend.
Leonard.	Walker.
Parkhouse.	Weinert.

Absent—Excused

Few.	Lotief.
Johnson	McDougald.
of Dimmit.	Steward.
Kayton.	

Question then recurring on the amendment by Mr. Lindsey, yeas and nays were demanded.

The amendment was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—89

Adamson.	Hoskins.
Aikin.	Huddleston.
Alsup.	Hunt.
Barrett.	Jackson.
Barrow.	James.
Beck.	Jones of Atascosa.
Bedford.	Jones of Runnels.
Bourne.	Jones of Shelby.
Bradley.	Kyle of Hays.
Burns.	Laird.
Calvert.	Latham.
Camp.	Lemens.
Canon.	Lindsey.
Cathey.	Mackay.
Caven.	Magee.
Chastain.	McClain.
Colson.	McCullough.
Coombes.	Merritt.
Cowley.	Metcalfe.
Crossley.	Mitcham.
Daniel.	Morrison.
Dean.	Palmer.
Devall.	Parkhouse.
Dunagan.	Puryear.
Engelhard.	Ratliff.
Fain.	Ray.
Fisher.	Reed of Bowie.
Fuchs.	Riddle.
Glass.	Roberts.
Golson.	Rogers of Hunt.
Goodman.	Rollins.
Graves.	Ross.
Hankamer.	Russell.
Harman.	Scott.
Head.	Shults.
Hester.	Smith.
Hicks.	Stanfield.
Hodges.	Stovall.
Holekamp.	Sullivant.

Tarwater.	Wagstaff.
Tennyson.	Walker.
Thomas.	Wells.
Townsend.	Winningham.
Turlington.	Wood.
Vaughan.	

Nays—29

Anderson.	Long.
Baker.	Mathis.
Celaya.	McGregor.
Duvall.	McKee.
Dwyer.	Moore.
Ford.	Morse.
Good.	Munson.
Griffith.	Nicholson.
Harris.	Patterson.
Hartzog.	Reader.
Hill of Brazoria.	Reed of Dallas.
Hill of Webb.	Shannon.
Holland.	Van Zandt.
Hyder.	Young.
Kyle of Palo Pinto.	

Absent

Alexander.	Moffett.
Butler.	Pavlica.
Clayton.	Pope.
Davidson.	Ramsey.
Dunlap.	Renfro.
Greathouse.	Rogers of Ochiltree.
Harrison.	Savage.
Holloway.	Scarborough.
Hughes.	Stinson.
Jefferson.	Stubbeman.
Johnson	Tillery.
of Anderson.	Weinert.
Leonard.	

Absent—Excused

Few.	Lotief.
Johnson	McDougald.
of Dimmit.	Steward.
Kayton.	

Mr. Hunt offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, Subsection 1, page 3, line 22, by adding after the word "year" the following: "For this biennium, and to be fixed by appropriation thereafter."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Ray and Mr. Shults offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, page 9, line 32, by striking out all after the word "aforesaid," in line 32, down to and including the word "required," on page 10, line 4, and by adding the words "the Special Racing Fund," before the word "shall," page 10, line 5, and by striking out all of Subsection 7.

RAY,
SHULTS.

Mr. Roberts moved to table the amendment by Mr. Ray.

The motion to table prevailed.

Mr. Kyle of Hays moved the previous question on the pending amendments and the bill, and the motion was duly seconded.

Question recurring on the motion for the main question, it prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—65

Adamson.	Jones of Shelby.
Alexander.	Kyle of Hays.
Baker.	Long.
Beck.	Mathis.
Butler.	McClain.
Calvert.	McGregor.
Celaya.	McKee.
Chastain.	Moore.
Clayton.	Morse.
Coombes.	Nicholson.
Cowley.	Patterson.
Crossley.	Pavlica.
Davidson.	Ratliff.
Dunlap.	Ray.
Dunagan.	Reader.
Duvall.	Renfro.
Fisher.	Rogers
Ford.	of Ochiltree.
Fuchs.	Savage.
Glass.	Scarborough.
Greathouse.	Scott.
Griffith.	Shannon.
Hankamer.	Shults.
Harris.	Stanfield.
Hartzog.	Stinson.
Head.	Tarwater.
Hill of Brazoria.	Townsend.
Hill of Webb.	Turlington.
Holland.	Wagstaff.
Hughes.	Walker.
Jackson.	Weinert.
James.	Wells.
Jones of Atascosa.	Young.

Nays—58

Aikin.	Graves.
Alsup.	Harman.
Anderson.	Hester.
Barrett.	Hicks.
Bedford.	Hodges.
Bourne.	Holekamp.
Burns.	Holloway.
Camp.	Hoskins.
Canon.	Huddleston.
Cathey.	Hunt.
Colson.	Hyder.
Dean.	Jones of Runnels.
Dwyer.	Laird.
Engelhard.	Latham.
Fain.	Lindsey.
Golson.	Mackay.
Good.	Magee.
Goodman.	McCullough.

Merritt.	Rollins.
Mitcham.	Ross.
Morrison.	Russell.
Palmer.	Smith.
Parkhouse.	Stovall.
Puryear.	Sullivan.
Reed of Bowie.	Thomas.
Reed of Dallas.	Van Zandt.
Riddle.	Vaughan.
Roberts.	Winningham.
Rogers of Hunt.	Wood.

Absent

Barron.	Lemens.
Bradley.	Leonard.
Caven.	Metcalfe.
Daniel.	Moffett.
Devall.	Munson.
Harrison.	Pope.
Jefferson.	Ramsey.
Johnson	Stubbeman.
of Anderson.	Tennyson.
Kyle of Palo Pinto.	Tillery.

Absent—Excused

Few.	Lotief.
Johnson	McDougald.
of Dimmit.	Steward.
Kayton.	

Mr. Vaughan offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, page 4, line 1, by striking out the words "assistant secretaries as shall be necessary, and as many."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Vaughan offered the following amendments to the bill:

(1)

Amend House Bill No. 12, page 4, line 4, by striking out the words "assistant secretaries."

(2)

Amend House Bill No. 12, page 4, line 7, by striking out the words "the assistant secretaries shall not exceed \$150 per month, each."

The amendments were severally adopted.

Mr. Vaughan offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, page 4, line 9, by striking out the words "twenty-five."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Vaughan offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, page 9, line 8, by striking out the words "one-fourth," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one-half."

The amendment was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—56

Adamson.	Kyle of Hays.
Aikin.	Laird.
Alsup.	Latham.
Bedford.	Lindsey.
Bourne.	Magee.
Bradley.	Mitcham.
Burns.	Morrison.
Calvert.	Palmer.
Canon.	Parkhouse.
Chastain.	Puryear.
Colson.	Ratliff.
Crossley.	Ray.
Dean.	Reed of Bowie.
Fain.	Riddle.
Fisher.	Rogers of Hunt.
Glass.	Rollins.
Golson.	Ross.
Goodman.	Scott.
Graves.	Stovall.
Harman.	Sullivant.
Head.	Thomas.
Hester.	Townsend.
Hicks.	Turlington.
Hodges.	Van Zandt.
Huddleston.	Vaughan.
Hughes.	Walker.
Hunt.	Winningham.
Jones of Runnels.	Wood.

Nays—66

Alexander.	Holland.
Anderson.	Holloway.
Baker.	Hoskins.
Butler.	Hyder.
Camp.	Jackson.
Cathey.	James.
Caven.	Jones of Atascosa.
Celaya.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Clayton.	Long.
Coombes.	Mackay.
Cowley.	Mathis.
Davidson.	McClain.
Devall.	McCullough.
Dunlap.	McGregor.
Dunagan.	McKee.
Duvall.	Merritt.
Dwyer.	Moore.
Engelhard.	Morse.
Ford.	Nicholson.
Fuchs.	Pavlica.
Good.	Reader.
Greathouse.	Reed of Dallas.
Gritlith.	Renfro.
Hankamer.	Roberts.
Harris.	Rogers.
Hill of Brazoria.	of Ochiltree.
Hill of Webb.	Russell.
Holekamp.	Savage.

Scarborough.
Shannon.
Shults.
Smith.
Stanfield.
Stinson.

Tennyson.
Wagstaff.
Weinert.
Wells.
Young.

Absent

Barrett.	Leonard.
Barron.	Metcalfe.
Beck.	Moffett.
Daniel.	Munson.
Harrison.	Patterson.
Hartzog.	Pope.
Jefferson.	Ramsey.
Johnson.	Stubbeman.
of Anderson.	Tarwater.
Jones of Shelby.	Tillery.
Lemens.	

Absent—Excused

Few.	Lotief.
Johnson.	McDougald.
of Dimmit.	Steward.
Kayton.	

Mr. Scott offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, page 4, by striking out lines 10, 11, and 12.

Mr. Coombes moved that the House Rule, relative to making a motion to reconsider the vote by which the previous question was ordered, be suspended at this time.

The motion was lost.

Question recurring on the amendment by Mr. Scott, it was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—56

Adamson.	Hunt.
Aikin.	Jones of Atascosa.
Alexander.	Jones of Runnels.
Alsup.	Kyle of Hays.
Bedford.	Latham.
Bourne.	Lindsey.
Bradley.	Magee.
Burns.	Merritt.
Canon.	Metcalfe.
Chastain.	Mitcham.
Crossley.	Palmer.
Dean.	Parkhouse.
Fain.	Puryear.
Fisher.	Ray.
Glass.	Reed of Bowie.
Golson.	Rogers of Hunt.
Graves.	Rollins.
Harman.	Ross.
Harris.	Scott.
Head.	Shults.
Hester.	Stovall.
Hicks.	Sullivant.
Hodges.	Tennyson.
Huddleston.	Thomas.
Hughes.	Townsend.

Turlington.
Vaughan.
Walker.

Wells.
Winningham.
Wood.

Nays—61

Anderson.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Baker.	Long.
Calvert.	Mackay.
Camp.	Mathis.
Caven.	McClain.
Celaya.	McCullough.
Clayton.	McGregor.
Colson.	McKee.
Coombes.	Moffett.
Cowley.	Moore.
Davidson.	Morse.
Devall.	Nicholson.
Dunlap.	Patterson.
Dunagan.	Pavlica.
Duvall.	Ratliff.
Dwyer.	Reader.
Engelhard.	Reed of Dallas.
Ford.	Roberts.
Fuchs.	Rogers
Good.	of Ochiltree.
Greathouse.	Russell.
Griffith.	Savage.
Hankamer.	Scarborough.
Hill of Webb.	Shannon.
Holekamp.	Stanfield.
Holland.	Stinson.
Holloway.	Tarwater.
Hoskins.	Van Zandt.
Hyder.	Wagstaff.
James.	Weinert.
Jones of Shelby.	Young.

Absent

Barrett.	Laird.
Barron.	Lemens.
Beck.	Leonard.
Butler.	Morrison.
Cathy.	Munson.
Daniel.	Pope.
Goodman.	Ramsey.
Harrison.	Renfro.
Hartzog.	Riddle.
Hill of Brazoria.	Smith.
Jackson.	Stubbeman.
Jefferson.	Tillery.
Johnson	
of Anderson.	

Absent—Excused

Few.	Lotief.
Johnson	McDougald.
of Dimmit.	Steward.
Kayton.	

Mr. Roberts offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12 by striking out, in lines 39 and 40, page 3, the following: "Such place in Texas

as it may determine," and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Austin, Texas."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Long offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, Section 1, by adding, after the word "Commission," on page 4, line 3, the following: "The total expenditures of the Commission shall not exceed twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) annually."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Clayton and Mr. Hankamer offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12 by adding to the fourth paragraph, on page 4, beginning on line 22, of page 4, and wherever else consistent with the provisions of the Act, the term "dog racing," so as to include dog racing within the provisions of the Act.

CLAYTON,
HANKAMER.

Mr. McGregor and Mr. Griffith raised a point of order on further consideration of the amendment, on the ground that the amendment is not germane to the bill.

The Speaker overruled the point of order.

Question then recurring on the amendment, yeas and nays were demanded.

The amendment was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—71

Adamson.	Hankamer.
Alsup.	Hartzog.
Anderson.	Hester.
Bedford.	Hicks.
Bourne.	Hill of Webb.
Calvert.	Holekamp.
Camp.	Holloway.
Canon.	Hunt.
Caven.	Jackson.
Celaya.	Jones of Atascosa.
Clayton.	Jones of Runnels.
Colson.	Kyle of Hays.
Davidson.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Dean.	Latham.
Devall.	Lindsey.
Dunagan.	Mackay.
Duvall.	Magee.
Fisher.	Mathis.
Golson.	McCullough.
Good.	McKee.
Goodman.	Metcalf.
Graves.	Mitcham.

Moffett.	Scott.
Moore.	Shannon.
Morse.	Smith.
Palmer.	Stovall.
Parkhouse.	Tarwater.
Puryear.	Thomas.
Ray.	Turlington.
Reed of Dallas.	Van Zandt.
Riddle.	Vaughan.
Rogers of Hunt.	Walker.
Rollins.	Wells.
Ross.	Winningham.
Savage.	Wood.
Scarborough.	

Nays—52

Aikin.	James.
Alexander.	Jones of Shelby.
Baker.	Long.
Barrett.	McClain.
Barron.	McGregor.
Bradley.	Merritt.
Burns.	Morrison.
Chastain.	Nicholson.
Coombes.	Patterson.
Cowley.	Pavlica.
Crossley.	Ratliff.
Dunlap.	Reader.
Dwyer.	Reed of Bowie.
Engelhard.	Renfro.
Fain.	Roberts.
Ford.	Rogers
Glass.	of Ochiltree.
Greathouse.	Russell.
Griffith.	Shults.
Harris.	Stanfield.
Head.	Stinson.
Hill of Brazoria.	Tennyson.
Hodges.	Townsend.
Hoskins.	Wagstaff.
Huddleston.	Weinert.
Hughes.	Young.
Hyder.	

Absent

Beck.	Laird.
Butler.	Lemens.
Cathey.	Leonard.
Daniel.	Munson.
Fuchs.	Pope.
Harman.	Ramsey.
Harrison.	Stubbeman.
Holland.	Sullivant.
Jefferson.	Tillery.
Johnson	
of Anderson.	

Absent—Excused

Few.	Lotief.
Johnson	McDougald.
of Dimmit.	Steward.
Kayton.	

Mr. Coombes offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, page 6, lines 30 and 31, by changing words and figures "twenty dollars (\$20)" to "ten dollars (\$10)."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Reed of Bowie offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, page 8, Section 1, Subsection 5, line 20, by striking out the words and figures "one hundred dollars (\$100)," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150)."

The amendment was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—39

Alsup.	Moffett.
Bourne.	Palmer.
Burns.	Parkhouse.
Cathey.	Puryear.
Chastain.	Ray.
Crossley.	Reed of Bowie.
Fain.	Rogers of Hunt.
Fisher.	Rollins.
Glass.	Ross.
Golson.	Russell.
Goodman.	Savage.
Graves.	Scott.
Harman.	Shannon.
Head.	Shults.
Huddleston.	Stovall.
Jones of Runnels.	Turlington.
Kyle of Hays.	Vaughan.
Latham.	Wagstaff.
Lindsey.	Winningham.
Magee.	

Nays—77

Adamson.	Greathouse.
Aikin.	Griffith.
Alexander.	Hankamer.
Anderson.	Harris.
Baker.	Hicks.
Barrett.	Hill of Brazoria.
Barron.	Hodges.
Bradley.	Holekamp.
Butler.	Holland.
Canon.	Holloway.
Celaya.	Hoskins.
Clayton.	Hughes.
Colson.	Hunt.
Coombes.	Hyder.
Cowley.	Jackson.
Davidson.	James.
Dean.	Jones of Atascosa.
Devall.	Jones of Shelby.
Dunagan.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Duvall.	Long.
Dwyer.	Mackay.
Engelhard.	Mathis.
Ford.	McClain.
Fuchs.	McCullough.
Good.	McGregor.

McKee.
Merritt.
Metcalf.
Moore.
Morrison.
Morse.
Munson.
Nicholson.
Pavlica.
Ratliff.
Reader.
Reed of Dallas.
Renfro.
Riddle.

Roberts.
Scarborough.
Smith.
Stanfield.
Stinson.
Tarwater.
Tennyson.
Thomas.
Van Zandt.
Walker.
Weinert.
Wood.
Young.

Absent

Beck.
Bedford.
Calvert.
Camp.
Caven.
Daniel.
Dunlap.
Harrison.
Hartzog.
Hester.
Hill of Webb.
Jefferson.
Johnson
of Anderson.

Laird.
Lemens.
Leonard.
Mitcham.
Patterson.
Pope.
Ramsey.
Rogers
of Ochiltree.
Stubbeman.
Sullivant.
Tillery.
Townsend.
Wells.

Absent—Excused

Few.
Johnson
of Dimmit.
Kayton.

Lotief.
McDougald.
Steward.

Mr. Reed of Bowie offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, page 8, Section 1, Subsection 5, lines 22 and 23, by striking out the words and figures "two hundred dollars (\$200)," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "three hundred dollars (\$300)."

The amendment was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—34

Alsup.
Bourne.
Burns.
Crossley.
Fain.
Fisher.
Glass.
Golson.
Goodman.
Graves.
Harman.
Hicks.
Huddleston.
Jones of Runnels.
Kyle of Hays.

Lindsey.
Magee.
Mitcham.
Palmer.
Puryear.
Ratliff.
Ray.
Reed of Bowie.
Rollins.
Ross.
Russell.
Shults.
Stovall.
Sullivant.
Turlington.

Vaughan.
Wagstaff.

Winningham.
Wood.

Nays—81

Adamson.
Aikin.
Alexander.
Anderson.
Baker.
Barrett.
Barron.
Bradley.
Butler.
Canon.
Cathey.
Celaya.
Chastain.
Colson.
Coombes.
Cowley.
Davidson.
Dean.
Devall.
Dunagan.
Duvall.
Dwyer.
Engelhard.
Ford.
Fuchs.
Good.
Greathouse.
Griffith.
Hankamer.
Harris.
Hartzog.
Hester.
Hill of Brazoria.
Hill of Webb.
Hodges.
Holekamp.
Holland.
Holloway.
Hoskins.
Hughes.
Hunt.

Hyder.
Jackson.
James.
Jones of Atascosa.
Jones of Shelby.
Latham.
Long.
Mackay.
Mathis.
McClain.
McCullough.
McGregor.
McKee.
Merritt.
Metcalf.
Moore.
Morrison.
Morse.
Munson.
Nicholson.
Parkhouse.
Patterson.
Pavlica.
Reader.
Reed of Dallas.
Riddle.
Roberts.
Savage.
Scarborough.
Shannon.
Smith.
Stanfield.
Stinson.
Tarwater.
Tennyson.
Thomas.
Van Zandt.
Walker.
Weinert.
Young.

Present—Not Voting

Kyle of Palo Pinto.

Absent

Beck.
Bedford.
Calvert.
Camp.
Caven.
Clayton.
Daniel.
Dunlap.
Harrison.
Head.
Jefferson.
Johnson
of Anderson.
Laird.

Lemens.
Leonard.
Moffett.
Pope.
Ramsey.
Renfro.
Rogers of Hunt.
Rogers
of Ochiltree.
Scott.
Stubbeman.
Tillery.
Townsend.
Wells.

Absent—Excused

Few.	Lotief.
Johnson	McDougald.
of Dimmit.	Steward.
Kayton.	

Mr. Reed of Bowie offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, page 8, Section 1, Subsection 5, line 25, by striking out the words and figures "five hundred dollars (\$500)," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$750)."

The amendment was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—40

Adamson.	Moffett.
Aikin.	Morrison.
Alsup.	Palmer.
Bourne.	Puryear.
Burns.	Ratliff.
Crossley.	Ray.
Dean.	Reed of Bowie.
Fain.	Riddle.
Glass.	Rollins.
Golson.	Russell.
Goodman.	Scott.
Craves.	Shults.
Harman.	Stovall.
Head.	Sullivant.
Huddleston.	Townsend.
Jones of Runnels.	Turlington.
Kyle of Hays.	Vaughan.
Lindsey.	Wagstaff.
Magee.	Winningham.
Mitcham.	Wood.

Nays—74

Alexander.	Hankamer.
Anderson.	Harris.
Baker.	Hartzog.
Barrett.	Hicks.
Bradley.	Hill of Brazoria.
Butler.	Hodges.
Cathey.	Holekamp.
Celaya.	Holland.
Chastain.	Holloway.
Colson.	Hoskins.
Coombes.	Hughes.
Cowley.	Hunt.
Davidson.	Hyder.
Devall.	Jackson.
Dunagan.	James.
Duvall.	Jones of Atascosa.
Dwyer.	Jones of Shelby.
Engelhard.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Fisher.	Latham.
Ford.	Long.
Fuchs.	Mackay.
Good.	Mathis.
Greathouse.	McClain.
Griffith.	McGregor.

McKee.	Roberts.
Merritt.	Savage.
Metcalfe.	Shannon.
Moore.	Smith.
Morse.	Stanfield.
Munson.	Stinson.
Nicholson.	Tarwater.
Parkhouse.	Tennyson.
Patterson.	Thomas.
Pavlica.	Van Zandt.
Reader.	Walker.
Reed of Dallas.	Weinert.
Renfro.	Young.

Absent

Barron.	Laird.
Beck.	Lemens.
Bedford.	Leonard.
Calvert.	McCullough.
Camp.	Pope.
Canon.	Ramsey.
Caven.	Rogers of Hunt.
Clayton.	Rogers
Daniel.	of Ochiltree.
Dunlap.	Ross.
Harrison.	Scarborough.
Hester.	Stubbeman.
Hill of Webb.	Tillery.
Jefferson.	Wells.
Johnson	
of Anderson.	

Absent—Excused

Few.	Lotief.
Johnson	McDougald.
of Dimmit.	Steward.
Kayton.	

Mr. Reed of Bowie offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, page 8, Section 1, Subsection 5, line 28, by striking out the words and figures "one thousand dollars (\$1,000)," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500)."

The amendment was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—39

Aikin.	Huddleston.
Alsup.	Jones of Runnels.
Bourne.	Kyle of Hays.
Burns.	Lindsey.
Colson.	Magee.
Dean.	Mitcham.
Fain.	Moffett.
Fisher.	Morrison.
Glass.	Palmer.
Golson.	Puryear.
Graves.	Ratliff.
Harman.	Ray.
Head.	Reed of Bowie.
Hicks.	Riddle.

Rollins.	Turlington.
Russell.	Vaughan.
Scott.	Wagstaff.
Shults.	Winningham.
Stovall.	Wood.
Sullivant.	

Nays—75

Adamson.	James.
Alexander.	Jones of Shelby.
Anderson.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Baker.	Latham.
Barrett.	Long.
Bradley.	Mackay.
Butler.	Mathis.
Cathey.	McClain.
Celaya.	McCullough.
Chastain.	McGregor.
Coombes.	McKee.
Cowley.	Merritt.
Crossley.	Metcalfe.
Davidson.	Moore.
Devall.	Morse.
Dunagan.	Munson.
Duvall.	Nicholson.
Dwyer.	Parkhouse.
Engelhard.	Patterson.
Ford.	Pavlica.
Fuchs.	Reader.
Good.	Reed of Dallas.
Goodman.	Renfro.
Griffith.	Roberts.
Hankamer.	Rogers of Hunt.
Harris.	Savage.
Hartzog.	Shannon.
Hester.	Smith.
Hill of Brazoria.	Stanfield.
Hodges.	Stinson.
Holekamp.	Tarwater.
Holland.	Tennyson.
Holloway.	Thomas.
Hoskins.	Van Zandt.
Hughes.	Walker.
Hunt.	Weinert.
Hyder.	Young.
Jackson.	

Absent

Barron.	Jones of Atascosa.
Beck.	Laird.
Bedford.	Lemens.
Calvert.	Leonard.
Camp.	Pope.
Canon.	Ramsey.
Caven.	Rogers
Clayton.	of Ochiltree.
Daniel.	Ross.
Dunlap.	Scarborough.
Greathouse.	Stubbeman.
Harrison.	Tillery.
Hill of Webb.	Townsend.
Jefferson.	Wells.
Johnson	
of Anderson.	

Absent—Excused

Few.	Johnson of Dimmit.
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Kayton.	McDougald.
Lotief.	Steward.

Mr. Reed of Bowie offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, page 8, Section 1, Subsection 5, lines 30 and 31, by striking out the words and figures "fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500)," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty-two hundred and fifty dollars (\$2250)."

The amendment was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—36

Aikin.	Magee.
Alsup.	Metcalfe.
Beck.	Mitcham.
Bourne.	Morrison.
Burns.	Palmer.
Canon.	Puryear.
Fain.	Ray.
Fisher.	Reed of Bowie.
Glass.	Russell.
Golson.	Shults.
Goodman.	Stovall.
Graves.	Sullivant.
Harman.	Townsend.
Head.	Turlington.
Huddleston.	Vaughan.
Jones of Runnels.	Wagstaff.
Kyle of Hays.	Winningham.
Laird.	Wood.

Nays—74

Adamson.	Holekamp.
Alexander.	Holland.
Anderson.	Holloway.
Baker.	Hoskins.
Barrett.	Hunt.
Bradley.	Hyder.
Butler.	Jackson.
Cathey.	James.
Celaya.	Jones of Shelby.
Chastain.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Colson.	Latham.
Coombes.	Long.
Cowley.	Mackay.
Crossley.	Mathis.
Davidson.	McClain.
Devall.	McCullough.
Dunagan.	McGregor.
Duvall.	McKee.
Dwyer.	Merritt.
Engelhard.	Moore.
Ford.	Morse.
Fuchs.	Munson.
Good.	Nicholson.
Greathouse.	Parkhouse.
Griffith.	Patterson.
Harris.	Pavlica.
Hartzog.	Ratliff.
Hester.	Reader.
Hill of Brazoria.	Reed of Dallas.
Hodges.	Renfro.

Roberts.	Tarwater.
Rogers of Hunt.	Thomas.
Savage.	Van Zandt.
Shannon.	Walker.
Smith.	Weinert.
Stanfield.	Wells.
Stinson.	Young.

Present—Not Voting

Rollins.

Absent

Barron.	Jones of Atascosa.
Bedford.	Lemens.
Calvert.	Leonard.
Camp.	Lindsey.
Caven.	Moffett.
Clayton.	Pope.
Daniel.	Ramsey.
Dean.	Riddle.
Dunlap.	Rogers
Hankamer.	of Ochiltree.
Harrison.	Ross.
Hicks.	Scarborough.
Hill of Webb.	Scott.
Hughes.	Stubbeman.
Jefferson.	Tennyson.
Johnson	Tillery.
of Anderson.	

Absent—Excused

Few.	Lotief.
Johnson	McDougald.
of Dimmit.	Steward.
Kayton.	

Mr. Reed of Bowie offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, page 8, Section 1, Subsection 5, lines 32 and 33, by striking out the words and figures "two thousand dollars (\$2,000)," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "three thousand dollars (\$3,000)."

The amendment was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—43

Aikin.	Jones of Runnels.
Alsup.	Kyle of Hays.
Beck.	Laird.
Bourne.	Latham.
Burns.	Leonard.
Canon.	Lindsey.
Colson.	Magee.
Fain.	Metcalfe.
Fisher.	Mitcham.
Glass.	Moffett.
Golson.	Morrison.
Goodman.	Palmer.
Graves.	Puryear.
Harman.	Ray.
Head.	Reed of Bowie.
Huddleston.	Russell.

Shults.
Stovall.
Sullivant.
Townsend.
Turlington.
Van Zandt.

Vaughan.
Wagstaff.
Walker.
Winningham.
Wood.

Nays—71

Adamson.	James.
Alexander.	Jones of Atascosa.
Anderson.	Jones of Shelby.
Baker.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Barrett.	Long.
Bradley.	Mackay.
Cathey.	Mathis.
Celaya.	McClain.
Chastain.	McCullough.
Clayton.	McGregor.
Coombes.	McKee.
Cowley.	Merritt.
Crossley.	Moore.
Davidson.	Morse.
Dean.	Munson.
Devall.	Nicholson.
Dunagan.	Parkhouse.
Duvall.	Patterson.
Dwyer.	Pavlica.
Engelhard.	Ratliff.
Ford.	Reader.
Fuchs.	Reed of Dallas.
Good.	Renfro.
Greathouse.	Roberts.
Griffith.	Savage.
Hankamer.	Shannon.
Harris.	Smith.
Hartzog.	Stanfield.
Hill of Brazoria.	Stinson.
Hodges.	Tarwater.
Holekamp.	Tennyson.
Holland.	Thomas.
Holloway.	Weinert.
Hoskins.	Wells.
Hunt.	Young.
Jackson.	

Present—Not Voting

Rollins.

Absent

Barron.	Johnson
Bedford.	of Anderson.
Butler.	Lemens.
Calvert.	Pope.
Camp.	Ramsey.
Caven.	Riddle.
Daniel.	Rogers of Hunt.
Dunlap.	Rogers
Harrison.	of Ochiltree.
Hester.	Ross.
Hicks.	Scarborough.
Hill of Webb.	Scott.
Hughes.	Stubbeman.
Hyder.	Tillery.
Jefferson.	

Absent—Excused

Few.

Johnson of Dimmit.

Kayton.
Lotief.

McDougald.
Steward.

Mr. Turlington offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12 by striking out the word "re-enacted," in line 16, page 2; line 23, page 12; and line 27, page 12.

TURLINGTON,
KYLE of Hays.

Question recurring on the amendment, yeas and nays were demanded.

The amendment was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—51

Adamson.	Latham.
Aikin.	Lindsey.
Alsup.	Magee.
Beck.	Metcalf.
Bourne.	Mitcham.
Bradley.	Palmer.
Burns.	Parkhouse.
Calvert.	Puryear.
Cathey.	Ratliff.
Chastain.	Ray.
Dean.	Reed of Bowie.
Fain.	Rogers of Hunt.
Fisher.	Rollins.
Glass.	Scott.
Golson.	Stovall.
Goodman.	Sullivant.
Graves.	Thomas.
Harman.	Townsend.
Head.	Turlington.
Hester.	Vaughan.
Hicks.	Wagstaff.
Huddleston.	Walker.
Hunt.	Wells.
Jones of Runnels.	Winningham.
Kyle of Hays.	Wood.
Laird.	

Nays—71

Alexander.	Good.
Anderson.	Greathouse.
Baker.	Griffith.
Barrett.	Hankamer.
Canon.	Harris.
Caven.	Hartzog.
Celaya.	Hill of Brazoria.
Clayton.	Hill of Webb.
Colson.	Hodges.
Coombes.	Holekamp.
Cowley.	Holland.
Crossley.	Hoskins.
Davidson.	Hughes.
Devall.	Hyder.
Dunlap.	Jackson.
Dunagan.	James.
Duvall.	Jones of Atascosa.
Dwyer.	Jones of Shelby.
Engelhard.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Ford.	Long.
Fuchs.	Mackay.

Mathis.
McClain.
McCullough.
McGregor.
McKee.
Merritt.
Moffett.
Moore.
Morrison.
Morse.
Munson.
Nicholson.
Patterson.
Pavlica.
Reader.

Reed of Dallas.
Renfro.
Roberts.
Russell.
Shannon.
Shults.
Smith.
Stanfield.
Stinson.
Tarwater.
Tennyson.
Van Zandt.
Weinert.
Young.

Absent

Barron.	Leonard.
Bedford.	Pope.
Butler.	Ramsey.
Camp.	Riddle.
Daniel.	Rogers
Harrison.	of Ochiltree.
Holloway.	Ross.
Jefferson.	Savage.
Johnson	Scarborough.
of Anderson.	Stubbeman.
Lemens.	Tillery.

Absent—Excused

Few.	Lotief.
Johnson	McDougald.
of Dimmit.	Steward.
Kayton.	

Mr. Metcalfe and Mr. Merritt offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, page 12, by adding after Section 2 a new Section, to be numbered 2-a, and reading as follows:

"Section 2-a. It is hereby declared to be the intention of this Act that all the salaries and expenses of the operation of the Commission shall never become a charge against the General Revenue of the State, and in the event the fees and licenses authorized herein shall not provide sufficient revenue to pay all the salaries and expenses authorized, then in that event, the funds derived from the sources authorized herein shall be prorated for the salaries and expenses of the Commission."

METCALFE,
MERRITT.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Stovall and Mr. Puryear offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, page 2, lines 18 and 19, by striking out the

words "any money," and insert in lieu thereof "Special Racing Fund to be."

STOVALL,
PURYEAR.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Stovall and Mr. Puryear offered the following amendment to the bill: Amend House Bill No. 12, page 9, line 13, by striking out "except the said twelve hundred and sixty dollars."

STOVALL,
PURYEAR.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Stinson offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, Sub-section 5, of Section 1, page 10, by striking out that part of line 9, beginning "It is further provided," and all of lines 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "It is provided that any excess left in the 'Special Racing Fund' shall be by the State Treasurer paid into, and the same shall become a part of, the State Available School Fund."

The amendment was lost.

Mr. Sullivant and Mr. Van Zandt offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12, page 4, line 9, by adding after the word "each" the following: "After August 31, 1935, all salaries shall be set by the Legislature."

SULLIVANT,
VAN ZANDT.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Graves offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 12 by striking out line 13, page 2.

Question recurring on the amendment by Mr. Graves, yeas and nays were demanded.

The amendment was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—48

Adamson.	Camp.
Aikin.	Chastain.
Alsup.	Dean.
Beck.	Fain.
Bourne.	Fisher.
Bradley.	Glass.
Burns.	Golson.
Calvert.	Goodman.

Graves.	Parkhouse.
Harman.	Puryear.
Head.	Ratliff.
Hester.	Ray.
Huddleston.	Reed of Bowie.
Hunt.	Rogers of Hunt.
Hyder.	Rollins.
Jones of Runnels.	Scott.
Kyle of Hays.	Stovall.
Lindsey.	Thomas.
Magee.	Townsend.
Metcalf.	Turlington.
Mitcham.	Vaughan.
Moffett.	Wagstaff.
Morrison.	Walker.
Palmer.	Winningham.

Nays—81

Alexander.	Jones of Shelby.
Anderson.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Baker.	Laird.
Barrett.	Latham.
Barron.	Leonard.
Bedford.	Long.
Butler.	Mackay.
Canon.	Mathis.
Cathey.	McClain.
Caven.	McCullough.
Celaya.	McGregor.
Clayton.	McKee.
Coombes.	Merritt.
Cowley.	Moore.
Crossley.	Morse.
Daniel.	Munson.
Davidson.	Nicholson.
Devall.	Patterson.
Dunlap.	Pavlica.
Dunagan.	Reader.
Duvall.	Reed of Dallas.
Dwyer.	Renfro.
Engelhard.	Roberts.
Ford.	Rogers
Fuchs.	of Ochiltree.
Good.	Ross.
Greathouse.	Russell.
Griffith.	Savage.
Hankamer.	Scarborough.
Harris.	Shannon.
Hartzog.	Shults.
Hill of Brazoria.	Smith.
Hill of Webb.	Stanfield.
Hodges.	Stinson.
Holekamp.	Tarwater.
Holland.	Tennyson.
Holloway.	Van Zandt.
Hoskins.	Weinert.
Hughes.	Well.
Jackson.	Wood.
James.	Young.

Present—Not Voting

Riddle.

Absent

Colson.	Hicks.
Harrison.	Jefferson.

Johnson of Anderson.	Ramsey. Stubbeman.
Jones of Atascosa.	Sullivant.
Lemens.	Tillery.
Pope.	

Absent—Excused

Few.	Lotief.
Johnson of Dimmit.	McDougald.
Kayton.	Steward.

PAIRED

Mr. Riddle (present), who would vote "yea," with Mr. Kayton (absent), who would vote "nay."

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes made in the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 12 was then passed to engrossment by the following vote:

Yeas—79

Alexander.	James.
Anderson.	Jones of Atascosa.
Baker.	Jones of Shelby.
Barron.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Bedford.	Leonard.
Butler.	Long.
Canon.	Mackay.
Cathey.	Mathis.
Caven.	McClain.
Celaya.	McCullough.
Clayton.	McGregor.
Colson.	McKee.
Coombes.	Moore.
Cowley.	Morse.
Crossley.	Munson.
Daniel.	Nicholson.
Davidson.	Patterson.
Devall.	Pavlica.
Dunlap.	Reader.
Dunagan.	Reed of Dallas.
Duvall.	Renfro.
Dwyer.	Roberts.
Engelhard.	Rogers
Ford.	of Ochiltree.
Fuchs.	Ross.
Good.	Russell.
Greathouse.	Savage.
Griffith.	Scarborough.
Hankamer.	Shannon.
Harris.	Shults.
Hartzog.	Smith.
Hill of Brazoria.	Stanfield.
Hill of Webb.	Stinson.
Hodges.	Tarwater.
Holekamp.	Tennyson.
Holland.	Van Zandt.
Holloway.	Weinert.
Hoskins.	Wells.
Hughes.	Wood.
Jackson.	Young.

Nays—50

Adamson.	Kyle of Hays.
Aikin.	Laird.
Alsup.	Latham.
Beck.	Lindsey.
Bourne.	Magee.
Bradley.	Metcalfe.
Burns.	Mitcham.
Calvert.	Moffett.
Camp.	Morrison.
Chastain.	Palmer.
Dean.	Parkhouse.
Fain.	Puryear.
Fisher.	Ratliff.
Glass.	Ray.
Golson.	Reed of Bowie.
Goodman.	Rogers of Hunt.
Graves.	Scott.
Harman.	Sullivant.
Head.	Thomas.
Hester.	Townsend.
Hicks.	Turlington.
Huddleston.	Vaughan.
Hunt.	Wagstaff.
Hyder.	Walker.
Jones of Runnels.	Winningham.

Present—Not Voting

Merritt.	Rollins.
Riddle.	.

Absent

Barrett.	Pope.
Harrison.	Ramsey.
Jefferson.	Stovall.
Johnson	Stubbeman.
of Anderson.	Tillery.
Lemens.	

Absent—Excused

Few.	Lotief.
Johnson	McDougald.
of Dimmit.	Steward.
Kayton.	

PAIRED

Mr. Riddle (present), who would vote "nay," with Mr. Kayton (absent), who would vote "yea."

Mr. Rollins (present), who would vote "nay," with Mr. Jefferson (absent), who would vote "yea."

Mr. Merritt (present), who would vote "nay," with Mr. Lotief (absent), who would vote "yea."

Mr. McGregor moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed to engrossment, and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed. X

REASON FOR VOTE

I vote "yes" on House Bill No. 12, because it will bring more revenue into the State Treasury. The racing bill is on the statutes now, and to vote against House Bill No. 12 would not prevent racing in Texas, otherwise I would vote "no" on this bill. Since the Legislature has seen fit to legalize horse racing, I am in favor of getting all the revenue possible out of it.

VAN ZANDT.

MOTION TO TAKE UP HOUSE BILL
NO. 12

Mr. Anderson moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 12 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion was lost (not receiving the necessary four-fifths vote) by the following vote:

Yeas—81

Alexander.	Hoskins.
Anderson.	Hughes.
Baker.	Jackson.
Barrett.	James.
Barron.	Jones of Shelby.
Bedford.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Canon.	Long.
Cathey.	Mackay.
Caven.	Mathis.
Celaya.	McClain.
Clayton.	McCullough.
Colson.	McGregor.
Coombes.	McKee.
Cowley.	Moore.
Crossley.	Morse.
Davidson.	Munson.
Devall.	Nicholson.
Dunlap.	Patterson.
Dunagan.	Pavlica.
Duvall.	Ratliff.
Dwyer.	Reader.
Engelhard.	Reed of Dallas.
Fuchs.	Renfro.
Golson.	Roberts.
Good.	Rogers.
Greathouse.	of Ochiltree.
Griffith.	Ross.
Hankamer.	Russell.
Harris.	Savage.
Hartzog.	Scarborough.
Hicks.	Shannon.
Hill of Brazoria.	Shults.
Hill of Webb.	Smith.
Hodges.	Stanfield.
Holekamp.	Stinson.
Holland.	Sullivan.
Holloway.	Tarwater.

Tennyson.
Van Zandt.
Wagstaff.
Walker.

Weinert.
Wells.
Wood.
Young.

Nays—40

Adamson.	Kyle of Hays.
Aikin.	Laird.
Alsup.	Latham.
Beck.	Lindsey.
Bourne.	Magee.
Bradley.	Metcalf.
Burns.	Mitcham.
Calvert.	Palmer.
Camp.	Parkhouse.
Chastain.	Puryear.
Fain.	Ray.
Fisher.	Reed of Bowie.
Glass.	Rogers of Hunt.
Graves.	Rollins.
Harman.	Scott.
Head.	Stovall.
Huddleston.	Thomas.
Hunt.	Turlington.
Hyder.	Vaughan.
Jones of Runnels.	Winningham.

Present—Not Voting

Merritt. Riddle.

Absent

Butler.	Jones of Atascosa.
Daniel.	Lemens.
Dean.	Leonard.
Ford.	Moffett.
Goodman.	Morrison.
Harrison.	Pope.
Hester.	Ramsey.
Jefferson.	Stubbeman.
Johnson	Tillery.
of Anderson.	Townsend.

Absent—Excused

Few.	Lotief.
Johnson	McDougald.
of Dimmit.	Steward.
Kayton.	

SENATE BILL NO. 13 ON SECOND
READING

On motion of Mr. Townsend, the Twenty-four-hour House Rule, relative to the consideration of printed bills, was suspended, to take up, for consideration at this time, Senate Bill No. 13.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 13, A bill to be entitled "An Act prescribing additional powers and duties of the commissioners

court in certain counties; etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Townsend offered the following amendments to the bill:

(1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 13, page 4, line 2, by inserting after the comma, following the word "equalization," the following words: "which values shall be the same as those fixed for State and county taxation purposes."

(2)

Amend Senate Bill No. 13, page 4, line 24, by striking out the word "any," between the word "for" and the word "year," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "that."

(3)

Amend Senate Bill No. 13, page 5, line 12, by inserting after the word "equalization" the following: "for State and county taxation purposes."

The amendments were severally adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes made in the body of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 13 was then passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 13 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Townsend moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 13 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—111

Adamson.	Cathey.
Aikin.	Caven.
Alsup.	Clayton.
Anderson.	Colson.
Baker.	Coombes.
Barrett.	Cowley.
Barron.	Crossley.
Beck.	Daniel.
Bedford.	Davidson.
Bourne.	Dean.
Burns.	Devall.
Calvert.	Dunagan.
Camp.	Engelhard.
Canon.	Fain.

Fisher.	Morrison.
Fuchs.	Morse.
Glass.	Munson.
Golson.	Palmer.
Good.	Patterson.
Goodman.	Pavlica.
Graves.	Puryear.
Greathouse.	Ratliff.
Griffith.	Ray.
Hankamer.	Reed of Bowie.
Harman.	Reed of Dallas.
Harris.	Renfro.
Hartzog.	Riddle.
Head.	Roberts.
Hester.	Rogers of Hunt.
Hicks.	Rogers
Hill of Brazoria.	of Ochiltree.
Hill of Webb.	Rollins.
Hodges.	Ross.
Holloway.	Russell.
Huddleston.	Savage.
Hughes.	Scarborough.
Hunt.	Scott.
Hyder.	Shannon.
Jackson.	Shults.
James.	Smith.
Jones of Atascosa.	Stanfield.
Jones of Runnels.	Stovall.
Jones of Shelby.	Sullivant.
Kyle of Hays.	Tarwater.
Kyle of Palo Pinto.	Tennyson.
Laird.	Thomas.
Latham.	Townsend.
Leonard.	Turlington.
Long.	Van Zandt.
Mackay.	Vaughan.
Magee.	Wagstaff.
McClain.	Walker.
Metcalf.	Weinert.
Mitcham.	Wells.
Moffett.	Wood.
Moore.	Young.

Nays—2

Lindsey. Winningham.

Absent

Alexander.	Lemens.
Bradley.	Mathis.
Butler.	McCullough.
Celaya.	McGregor.
Chastain.	McKee.
Dunlap.	Merritt.
Duvall.	Nicholson.
Dwyer.	Parkhouse.
Ford.	Pope.
Harrison.	Ramsey.
Holekamp.	Reader.
Holland.	Stinson.
Hoskins.	Stubbeman.
Jefferson.	Tillery.

Johnson
of Anderson.

Absent—Excused

Few. Johnson of Dimmit.

Kayton.
Lotief.

McDougald.
Steward.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 13 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—109

Adamson.	Laird.
Aikin.	Latham.
Alexander.	Leonard.
Alsup.	Lindsey.
Anderson.	Long.
Baker.	Mackay.
Barrett.	Magee.
Barron.	McClain.
Beck.	McCullough.
Bedford.	Metcalfe.
Bourne.	Mitcham.
Burns.	Moffett.
Calvert.	Moore.
Camp.	Morrison.
Canon.	Morse.
Cathey.	Munson.
Caven.	Nicholson.
Celaya.	Palmer.
Chastain.	Pavlica.
Clayton.	Pope.
Colson.	Puryear.
Cowley.	Ratliff.
Crossley.	Ray.
Daniel.	Reader.
Davidson.	Reed of Bowie.
Dean.	Reed of Dallas.
Devall.	Renfro.
Dunagan.	Riddle.
Engelhard.	Roberts.
Fain.	Rogers of Hunt.
Fuchs.	Rogers
Glass.	of Ochiltree.
Good.	Rollins.
Goodman.	Ross.
Graves.	Russell.
Griffith.	Savage.
Hankamer.	Scarborough.
Harman.	Shannon.
Harris.	Shults.
Hartzog.	Smith.
Head.	Stanfield.
Hester.	Stovall.
Hill of Brazoria.	Sullivant.
Hill of Webb.	Tarwater.
Hodges.	Tennyson.
Huddleston.	Thomas.
Hughes.	Townsend.
Hunt.	Turlington.
Hyder.	Van Zandt.
Jackson.	Vaughan.
James.	Wagstaff.
Jones of Runnels.	Walker.
Jones of Shelby.	Wells.
Kyle of Hays.	Wood.
Kyle of Palo Pinto.	Young.

Nays—1

Hicks.

Absent

Bradley.	Johnson
Butler.	of Anderson.
Coombes.	Jones of Atascosa.
Dunlap.	Lemens.
Duvall.	Mathis.
Dwyer.	McGregor.
Fisher.	McKee.
Ford.	Merritt.
Golson.	Parkhouse.
Greathouse.	Patterson.
Harrison.	Ramsey.
Holekamp.	Scott.
Holland.	Stinson.
Holloway.	Stubbeman.
Hoskins.	Tillery.
Jefferson.	Weinert.
	Winningham.

Absent—Excused

Few.	Lotief.
Johnson	McDougald.
of Dimmit.	Steward.
Kayton.	

RESOLUTION SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof, and its caption had been read, the following enrolled resolution:

S. C. R. No. 9, Extending an invitation to Hon. James A. Farley.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Long moved that the House adjourn until 10 o'clock a. m., next Monday.

Mr. Puryear moved that the House adjourn until 10 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

Question first recurring on the motion by Mr. Puryear, it was lost.

Question recurring on the motion by Mr. Long, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—60

Anderson.	Crossley.
Barrett.	Davidson.
Barron.	Dunagan.
Beck.	Engelhard.
Bourne.	Fuchs.
Burns.	Golson.
Calvert.	Good.
Caven.	Graves.
Colson.	Greathouse.
Coombes.	Griffith.

Hankamer.	Moffett.
Harman.	Moore.
Hartzog.	Munson.
Hill of Brazoria.	Palmer.
Hill of Webb.	Patterson.
Holloway.	Pavlica.
Hoskins.	Reed of Dallas.
Hughes.	Renfro.
Hunt.	Riddle.
Jackson.	Rogers
James.	of Ochiltree.
Kyle of Hays.	Russell.
Laird.	Savage.
Lemens.	Shults.
Leonard.	Smith.
Long.	Stanfield.
Mackay.	Thomas.
Magee.	Turlington.
McCullough.	Van Zandt.
McGregor.	Weinert.
Merritt.	

Nays—48

Adamson.	Metcalf.
Aikin.	Mitcham.
Alexander.	Morrison.
Alsup.	Parkhouse.
Baker.	Puryear.
Camp.	Ratliff.
Canon.	Ray.
Cathey.	Reed of Bowie.
Chastain.	Roberts.
Clayton.	Rogers of Hunt.
Dean.	Rollins.
Devall.	Ross.
Fain.	Stovall.
Fisher.	Sullivant.
Glass.	Tarwater.
Goodman.	Tennyson.
Harris.	Townsend.
Head.	Vaughan.
Hodges.	Wagstaff.
Huddleston.	Walker.
Hyder.	Wells.
Jones of Runnels.	Winningham.
Latham.	Wood.
Lindsey.	Young.

Absent

Bedford.	Jones of Atascosa.
Bradley.	Jones of Shelby.
Butler.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Celaya.	Mathis.
Cowley.	McClain.
Daniel.	McKee.
Dunlap.	Morse.
Duvall.	Nicholson.
Dwyer.	Pope.
Ford.	Ramsey.
Harrison.	Reader.
Hester.	Scarborough.
Hicks.	Scott.
Holekamp.	Shannon.
Holland.	Stinson.
Jefferson.	Stubbeman.
Johnson	Tillery.
of Anderson.	

Absent—Excused

Few.	Lotief.
Johnson	McDougald.
of Dimmit.	Steward.
Kayton.	

The House, accordingly, at 4:35 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m., next Monday.

APPENDIX

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following committees have filed favorable reports on bills and resolution, as follows:

Revenue and Taxation: House Bills Nos. 48 and 55.

Appropriations: House Bill No. 11 and House Concurrent Resolution No. 7.

Banks and Banking: House Bills Nos. 41 and 51.

Conservation and Reclamation: House Bills Nos. 73, 74, and 72.

Counties: House Bills Nos. 76, 78, 84, and 85.

Criminal Jurisprudence: House Bill No. 64.

Education: Senate Bill No. 13 and House Bill No. 65.

Game and Fisheries: House Bill No. 79.

Municipal and Private Corporations: House Bills Nos. 25 and 39.

Judiciary: Senate Bill No. 4.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS:

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 21, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the State Board of Education to create and establish school districts at military reservations located within the State of Texas upon such terms and conditions as agreed upon by, and between, said Board and the War Department of the United States Government; etc., and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HYDER, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed
Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 29, A bill to be entitled
"An Act to authorize the withdrawal
or exclusion of lands from water control
and improvement districts which
embrace lands in two or more counties
and containing not less than one
hundred and twenty-five thousand
(125,000) acres after the provisions
hereof are adopted by a two-thirds
vote of the board of directors of any
such district, by resolution, and entered
of record upon the minutes of
such board, and a copy thereof recorded
in the office of the county clerk of
each county in which any portion
of the lands of such district are situated;
providing that no petition for
exclusion of lands shall be presented
or filed unless the lands proposed
to be excluded, and therein described,
exceed five thousand (5,000) acres;
prescribing the method of procedure
whereby lands may be withdrawn or
excluded from any district; etc., and
declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and
finds it correctly engrossed.

HYDER, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed
Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 27, A bill to be entitled
"An Act to amend Chapter 2, of Title
116, of the Revised Civil Statutes of
Texas, 1925, by adding to said Chapter
a new Article, to be known as
'Article 6711-a,' providing that upon
application of ten (10) or more resident
citizens of the Counties of Polk,
Trinity, Angelina, Tyler, Walker, San
Jacinto, or Cherokee, or one person
living within an enclosure of two
thousand (2,000) acres or more in
said Counties, the commissioners
court of said County shall open a road
through said enclosure of land, or between
different persons or owners of
land, or along any section line, or
along any survey line, or along any
survey subdivision line, where said
land is adjacent or contiguous to public
rivers, lakes, or bays in the Counties
of Polk, Trinity, Angelina, Tyler,

Walker, San Jacinto, or Cherokee;
providing for notice and hearing on
said application; providing for damages
to landowners where roads are
opened; providing that the commissioners
court shall not be required to
keep such roads worked; providing
that this Act shall only apply where
there is a space of at least five (5)
miles along any navigable river, lake,
or bay with no present road or public
thoroughfare; providing for laying
out of right of ways of the width of
sixty (60) feet running parallel to
the out-bank of any navigable stream
in these aforementioned counties; declaring
a public necessity for certain
roads provided for herein; defining
'navigable streams' and 'public lakes';
providing that the provisions of this
Act shall be applicable to the Counties
of Polk, Trinity, Angelina, Tyler,
Walker, San Jacinto, or Cherokee,
only; and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and
finds it correctly engrossed.

HYDER, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed
Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 34, A bill to be entitled
"An Act relating to the duties of the
county board of trustees of public
schools of this State, in all counties
having an area of not more than three
thousand eight hundred (3,800) square
miles and not less than three thousand
six hundred (3,600) square miles and
a population of not less than nine
thousand and eight hundred (9,800)
and not more than twelve thousand
(12,000), according to the last Federal
Census, authorizing them to condemn
land for school purposes; etc., and
declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and
finds it correctly engrossed.

HYDER, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed
Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 38, A bill to be entitled
"An Act to amend House Bill No.
925, Chapter 89, Acts of the Forty-
second Legislature, passed at its Reg-

ular Session in 1931, authorizing any navigation district created for the development of deep-water navigation which may now have, or may hereafter have, within its boundaries, a city of not less than twenty-seven thousand nor more than twenty-eight thousand inhabitants, as shown by the Federal Census last preceding such action, to borrow money and encumber its properties and revenues to secure payments thereof, by adding thereto new Sections, to be known as Sections 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14, so as to provide for notice and hearing in respect of the issuance of the evidences of any such indebtedness; etc., and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HYDER, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 52, A bill to be entitled "An Act to make it unlawful to take, hunt, trap, shoot, or kill, any wild quail of any species for a period of five (5) years in Gaines County, Texas; fixing penalty, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HYDER, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 45, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating and legalizing the creation of navigation districts heretofore created under authority of Section 52, Article III, of the Constitution of Texas, and which have thereafter been converted into navigation districts under Section 59, of Article XVI, of the Constitution, and as provided by Section 1, of Chapter 103, Acts of the Forty-first Legislature, 1929, First Called Session; etc., and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HYDER, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 53, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 6, Chapter 88, of the General Laws of the Forty-first Legislature, Second Called Session, by adding thereto, Section 6-a, so as to reduce registration license fees on commercial motor vehicles, without trailers or semi-trailers, when same are used exclusively by the owner thereof in the transportation of his poultry, dairy, live stock, and farm products, grown or produced by him, to market or to other points for processing, and for the transportation of supplies by the owner of such commercial motor vehicle from place of purchase, to his own farm or ranch for his exclusive use; prescribing penalties for violation thereof, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HYDER, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 54, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 6032, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, as amended by Chapter 26, Acts of the Forty-second Legislature, First Called Session, and by Chapter 126, Acts of the Forty-third Legislature, imposing a tax of one-tenth of one cent per barrel on crude petroleum oil; providing none of the funds derived from the tax herein levied shall be expended to pay relatives of Members of the Texas Legislature within the third degree of consanguinity or affinity; appropriating the proceeds of such tax to the Railroad Commission of Texas to be used in carrying out its duties in connection with the conservation laws of this State relating to oil and gas; providing for the employment of supervisors, assistants, and other employes by the Commission and for the payment of their salaries, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HYDER, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed
Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 59, A bill to be entitled
"An Act to prohibit the trapping or
hunting with guns of wild foxes, or
having in possession the pelts thereof
in Upshur County; providing a pen-
alty; providing that farmers or poul-
try raisers may kill such foxes while
in the act of actually destroying
chickens or other poultry or farm ani-
mals; repealing all laws or parts of
laws in conflict herewith; and declar-
ing and emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and
finds it correctly engrossed.

HYDER, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed
Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 56, A bill to be entitled
"An Act fixing the compensation of
county commissioners in every county
having a population of not less than
24,233 nor more than 24,333, accord-
ing to the last preceding United
States Census, and prescribing how
same shall be paid; providing that
such shall be the salary of said com-
missioners so long as the taxable val-
ues in the county shall exceed the sum
of ten million dollars for the next pre-
ceding year; fixing said salary when
said taxable values are less than said
sum, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and
finds it correctly engrossed.

HYDER, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed
Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 65, A bill to be entitled
"An Act to provide for payment of
the salary of the ex-officio superin-
tendent of public instruction in all coun-
ties having not less than three thou-
sand (3,000) and not more than three
thousand one hundred (3,100) popula-
tion, according to the last preceding
Federal Census, from the county avail-
able school fund; repealing all laws

and parts of laws in conflict herewith,
and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and
finds it correctly engrossed.

HYDER, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed
Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 68, A bill to be entitled
"An Act making it unlawful for any
person to hunt, trap, kill, or attempt
to kill by any means whatsoever, any
wild turkey, wild chachalaca, or Mex-
ican pheasant in the Counties of
Guadalupe, Comal, Gonzales, and Wil-
son for a period of five (5) years;
providing a penalty; repealing all
laws or parts of laws in conflict here-
with, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and
finds it correctly engrossed.

HYDER, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed
Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 57, A bill to be entitled
"An Act permitting the taking of
pelts of fur-bearing animals for the
purpose of sale in Jasper and New-
ton Counties during the months of
December and January; making it un-
lawful to take such pelts or to em-
ploy a steel trap for taking any fur-
bearing animal during any other
months than December and January;
providing a penalty; repealing all
laws and parts of laws in conflict with
this Act, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and
finds it correctly engrossed.

HYDER, Vice-Chairman.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, September 29, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled
Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 3, Relative to fixing a
fair price on cotton,

Has carefully compared same, and
finds it correctly enrolled.

ROGERS of Hunt, Chairman.